



## Eight if by School Bus

Now hear of the great Georges Seurat, mes enfants,  
 Whose skill with his pointillist points was si grand  
 You might never have noticed his "Isle of Grand Jatte"'s  
 Just a close-packed collection of separate dots.  
 So he built a whole cosmos from atoms this way  
 On blank canvas, *chez lui*, quatorze times a day.

Georges Seurat's dot-based paintings, known for their use of negative space, were the result of his overarching dot-based philosophy; he believed that all knowledge, of art, science, letters, and numbers, was hidden in those dots, and the fate of the universe rested in how they clustered together. And that is why Seurat was the inventor of standardized testing.

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- B** 2 1 2 2 1 1
- C** 3 3 2 1
- D** 3 4 3
- E** 1 1 2 1 1

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